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WANTED.

A PORTUGUESE CLERK for Bangkok. One with knowledge of shorthand and typewriting preferred. Apply stating salary to "K." Care of This Paper, Hongkong, October 18, 1901. 2138

Business Intimations.

TO HOUSE PROPRIETORS.

OWNERS having HOUSES TO LET, PARTIES in want of Houses or Offices, should Apply to S. A. SETH, Land & Estate Agent & Broker, Hongkong, October 18, 1901. 2137

NOTICE.

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Hongkong, August 31, 1901. 1328

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the BUSINESS, GOODWILL, ASSETS, and all BELONGINGS of the FOOK SHING PRINTERS, &c., situate at No. 54, Wellington Street, together with their shares in the FOOK SHING INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, are now sold to the Undersigned (a partner of the said firm).

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JUNG MAN,

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Hongkong, October 22, 1901. 2118

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Hongkong, August 2, 1901. 1607

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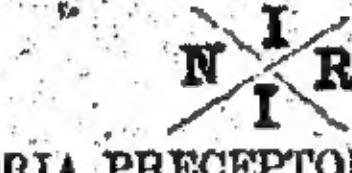
CITY OFFICE, 7, Duddell Street.

Intimations.

ZETLAND LODGE,
No. 525, E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND
A. LODGE will be held at FREEMASONS'
HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY,
the 1st Nov., at 8.30 p.m. precisely.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to
attend.

Hongkong, October 28, 1901. 2182



Victoria Preceptory & Priory.

REGULAR MEETING of the VICTORIA PRECEPTORY will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, on THURSDAY, the 31st Inst., at 8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, October 28, 1901. 2183

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A DIVIDEND of \$33 per Share for the
year 1900. Equivalent to 4% on
the paid-up Capital of \$50 per Share, has
been declared.

WARRANTS will be issued on the 11th
OCTOBER.

By Order of the Board,

W. J. SAUNDERS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 10, 1901. 2079

CHIN TRADERS' INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY-FIFTH ORDINARY
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the
above Company will be held at the
Head Office, Victoria, on TUESDAY,
the 19th Inst., at twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of presenting
the Report of the Directors and Statement
of Accounts to the 30th April last, and of
declaring dividends.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 30th Inst. to the
12th Inst., both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. RAY,
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 21, 1901. 2154

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY,
LIMITED.

CONSEQUENT upon the New and satis-
factory developments at the Mines,
and the necessity for a Tramway, Trucks,
and accessories in the immediate future;
the Directors have resolved to make the
Final Call of One Dollar per share; and
accordingly:—

Notice is hereby given that a MEETING
of the Board of Directors of the Company,
held at the Company's Office, No. 13,
Beaconsfield Arcade, Victoria, Hongkong,
on MONDAY, the 14th October, 1901, the
following Resolution was passed:—

That the final CALL of ONE DOLLAR
per SHARE upon all the Holders of
Ordinary Shares in the above Company,
and a portion of all the Shares held
by them in the above Company be
and the same is hereby made. Such
Calls to be paid to the Company at
their Bankers, the HONGKONG and
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
at their Promises, Queen's Road
Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on or
before the 15th day of November, 1901.

And Notice is also given that in accordance
with Article 24 of the Company's Articles
of Association, Interest will be charged
as from the said 15th day of November,
1901, at the rate of \$10 per cent per annum
upon all Calls remaining unpaid after
the said 15th day of November, 1901, up
to the actual date of payment of the same.

Shareholders are particularly requested
to note that upon presentation at the Office
of the Company of the Bankers' receipt for
payment of the Call together with the
Certificate of the Shares in respect of which
the Call has been paid, an endorsement to
that effect will be made upon the certificate.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. GASKELL,
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 18, 1901. 2118

HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM- WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

MONDAY.

TUESDAY.

WEDNESDAY.

THURSDAY.

FRIDAY.

SATURDAY.

SUNDAY.

MONDAY.

TUESDAY.

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Hongkong, September 24, 1901. 1958

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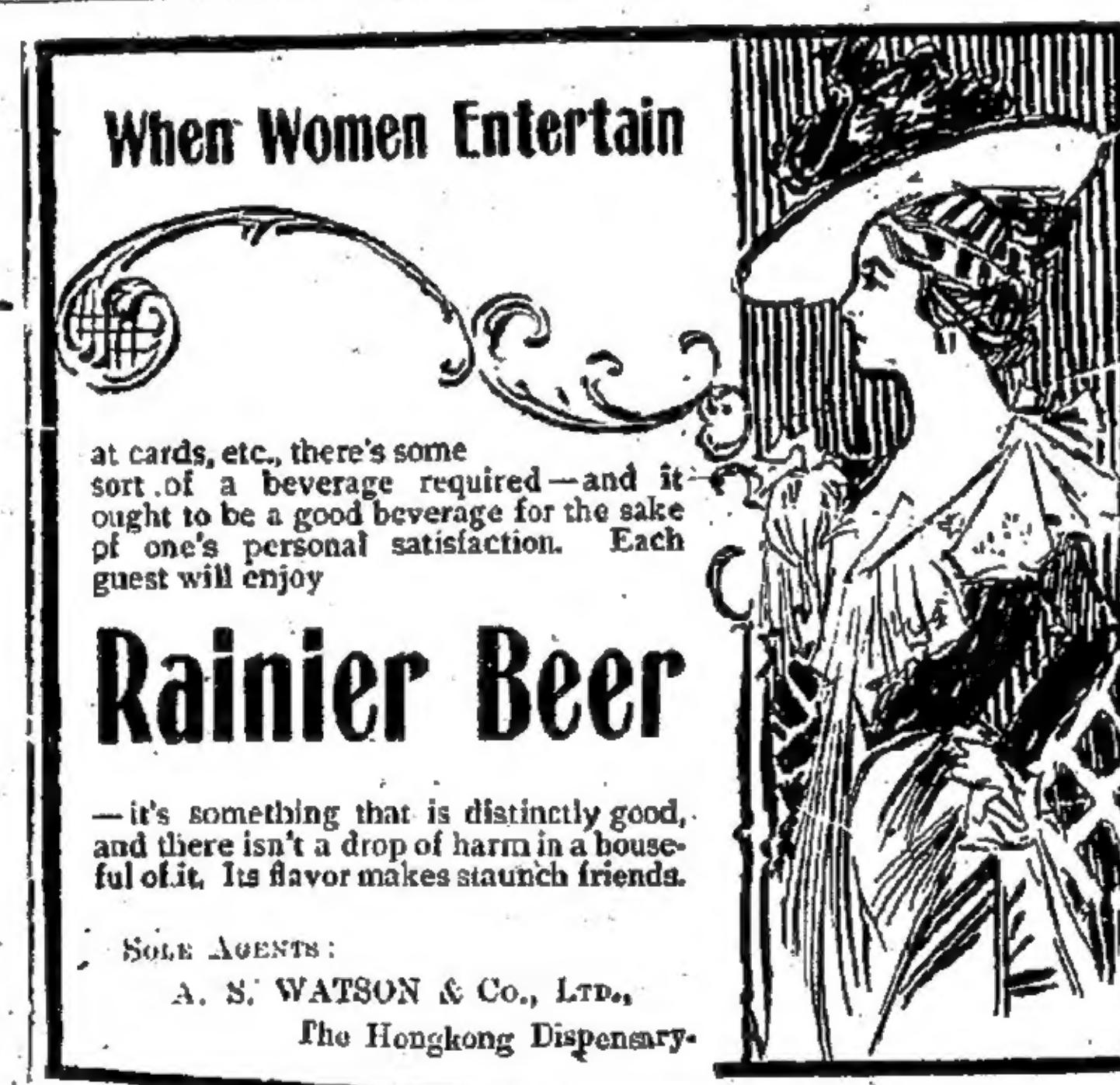
In the Physics Section of the British Association in Glasgow, Lord Kelvin read a paper on "The absolute amount of gravitational matter in any large volume of interstellar space." At the outset he remarked that he might say with absolute decision that there was matter in the universe which was not subject to the law of gravitation. There was ether, and they were all convinced, with Professor Rucker, that ether was matter. But they were also forced to say that the properties of the molar matter were not to be looked for as resulting from forces between atoms and matter, between ether and ether, or matter and ether. They were not absolutely excluded from the idea of the possibility of there being a portion of space occupied by ether beyond which there was absolute vacuum. That was thinkable, but he did not believe that any scientific man considered it in the slightest degree probable. If ether extended through all space, then it was certain that ether could not be subject to the law of mutual gravitation between its parts, because if it were subject to mutual attraction between its parts its equilibrium would be unstable, and if that occurred in the slightest degree the force of gravity would be so great that there would be an enormous containing pressure. He differed from Professor Rucker when the President said that continuity of matter implied absolute resistance to compression. They had no right to bar condensation as a property of ether. While admitting ether not to have any atomic structure, it was postulated as a matter which performed certain functions, and which might have properties allowing it to perform other functions. If it had rigidity enough for the vibration of light, they had no right to say that it was absolutely incompressible. If sufficiently great pressure all round could diminish the quantity of ether in a certain space then ether from surrounding space could come in towards the ideal shrinking surface. If ether was not infinitely incompressible that explained

the phenomena of light, electricity, and magnetism. On the other hand, ether, extending through all space, was imponderable, and they must, therefore, admit that there was something which they called matter, and which was not subject to Newton's law of gravitation.

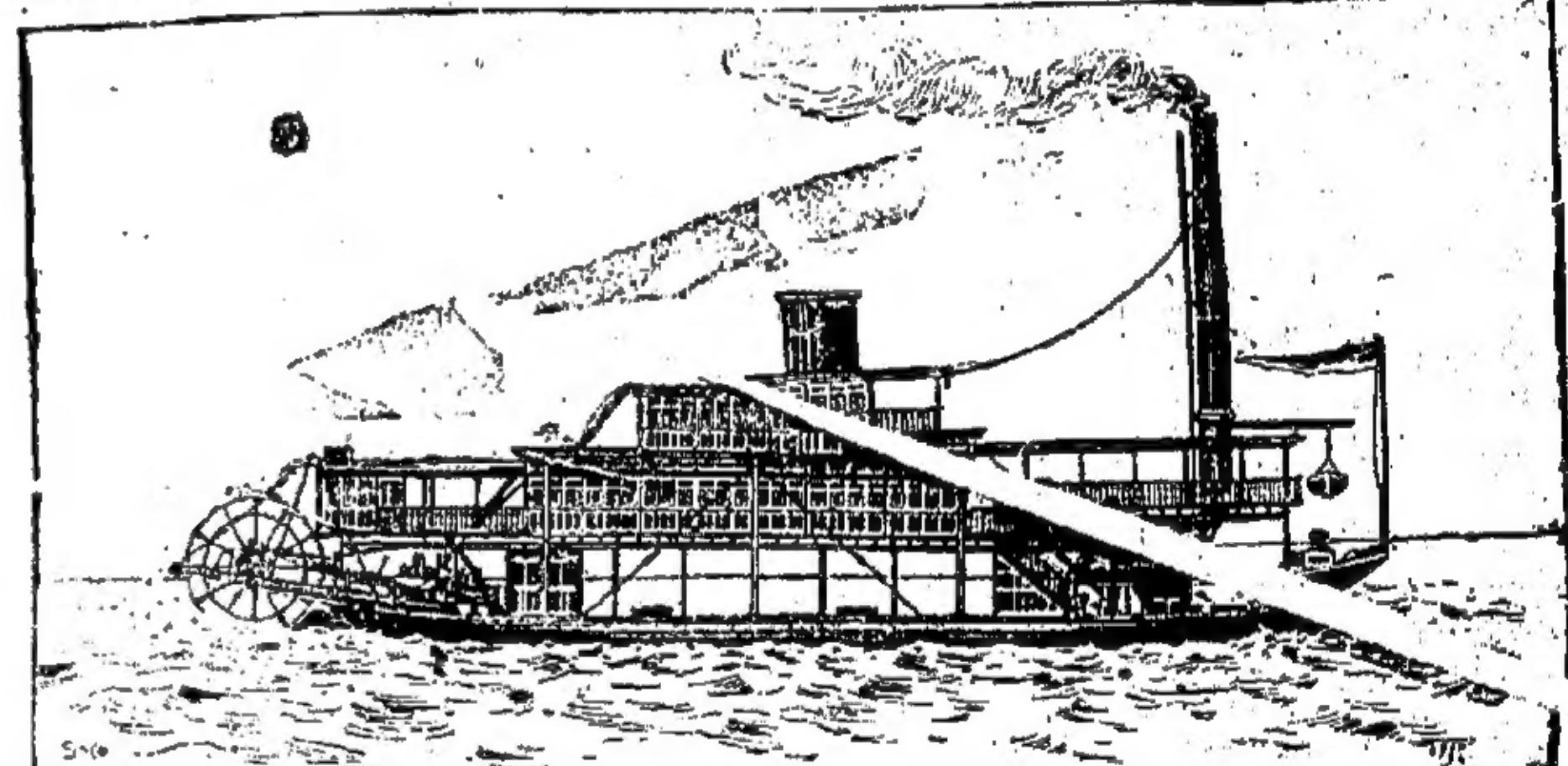
The sun, stars, planets, and meteoric stones were all ponderable, but an atom implied that there was something else. Our universe was a very small affair after all—occupying a very small portion of space, of which latter astronomers knew very little, although it extended to 3000 million millions of kilometres. According to Green's theory, at the boundary of any large space drawn in space there would be a force due to the interior matter. Working this out in our universe the amount of matter could not be more than a thousand million times the size of the sun. It had been calculated by Newcomb that there were 100 million stars visible, but he calculated that there were 1000 millions, equal in mass to 1000 millions of our suns. The reason why our firmament was not ablaze—one glowing surface of suns—was that the 1000 million suns had not been, as it were, set alight at once, and their light could not come within our sphere at the same time. But, even though there were 1000 million suns in the universe, they would not occupy more than twenty-seven thousandths of the space struck by a line from the eye directed into space. Then, as to the matter in the universe, it was equal to 10,000 million of kilometres, or three times the mass of the molecules of oxygen. It seemed probable that there was a time when the whole matter of the universe was atoms—not a fiery cloud or a luminous mist. The time came when the atoms became denser, until the density of gas was reached and that was followed by the density of a liquid, and next followed by that of meteoric stones and fragments.

Dr. Larmer pointed out that modern physical theories which compelled them to revise the old notions of the universe, were coincident with Lord Kelvin's career, and most of them had been started by him and carried on by his pupils.

After some discussion, a vote of thanks was given to Lord Kelvin for his important paper.



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2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, at No. 12, Knutsford Terrace.

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, October 30.—
Goods per *Hitsuchi Maru* not cleared after this date subject to rent.
Goods per *Arionian* Agent undelivered after 2 p.m. this date handed.THURSDAY, October 31.—
Goods per *Mangan* not cleared after this date subject to rent.

9 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Preceptory.

FRIDAY, November 1.—
9 p.m.—Meeting of Zetland Lodge.SATURDAY, November 2.—
Goods per *Pasimatta* not cleared by this date subject to rent.TUESDAY, November 12.—
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.A. S. WATSON & CO.,
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BIRTHS.

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On the 22nd October, at 25 Seward Road, Shanghai, the wife of R. POTERUS, of a Daughter.

DEATHS.

At the Peak Hospital, on October 26th, JAMES McWILLIAMS, aged 62 years.

At Nodot, Hainan, on Oct. 17th, FRANK CALVIN, only child of Rev. J. C. and Mrs. PATTERSON; aged 7 months 11 days.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.45 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1901.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The subject of the revision of the Chinese tariff

TARIFF is one which, if not vital

REVISION, to Hongkong's commercial and shipping interests, is at least of primary importance.

In a few weeks, Sir J. L. Mackay, the Commissioner appointed by the British Government to conduct the commercial negotiations with China under the provisions of the Protocol, will pass through Hongkong on his way to Shanghai and Peking, and the public

will be pleased to learn from the minutes of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce that a Special Committee has been nominated to consider the subject and prepare a memorandum embodying the views of the Chamber on the tariff.

The Special Committee consists of Messrs. C. S. Sharp, R. L. Richardson, H. E. Tomkins, T. Arnold, and A. B. Smith, and the Chamber

could not have committed its duties to a more competent Committee. We

presume communication will be made with Shanghai so that uniformity may be arrived at regarding the recommendations of the principal traders interested in the China trade, in order that an equitable tariff may be established.

Speaking in general terms, there will be comparatively little difficulty in adjusting the tariff. What the Powers

must see to is that treaty obligations, so long ignored by the Chinese, while holding the Foreign traders to the letter of the law, are strictly enforced as regards all parties to the agreement.

The opportunity ought to be taken to clear up, once for all, some of the difficulties, such as the inland waters regulations, *tsu li* and others, which have been placed in the way of the expansion of Foreign trade with the interior of China. Doubtless this phase of the subject will be kept well in view by the Chamber's representatives; and if Sir James Mackay and his colleagues can do anything to break down the artificial barriers set up by Chinese officials they will earn the undying gratitude of all Foreigners connected with the trade of China. While on this subject, might we ask what has come over the Hongkong Branch of the China Association? Has the Committee met to appoint a Chairman in succession to the late Mr. J. J. Francis? Is not this a time when the China Association ought to be playing an important part in Chinese affairs? The arrangement of the details of the tariff may belong rightly enough to the Chambers of Commerce, but there are certain aspects of the tariff revision question which might be more freely and better handled by the China Association.

We understand that the new Chinese

duties are to come in force on the 11th November (the first day of the tenth moon in the Chinese calendar), and not on the 7th November, as originally announced. There seems to be no doubt about this up North, but we are given to understand that the Customs authorities at Canton give out that the new duties will be imposed there as from the 7th November. This is surely a matter requiring elucidation. Why Canton should adopt a different date from Shanghai and North China might be uncertain as the imposition of the new duties on the 7th November at Canton will have a very important effect upon the markets and stocks in Hongkong.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

There was a partial eclipse of the moon yesterday afternoon.

The Shanghai St. Andrew's Society will celebrate the eve of St. Andrew's Day with the usual ball.

President McKinley's murderer, Cezarz, is to be executed to-day in Auburn Prison, New York.

Rules concerning the collection of revenue at Cheung Chau and Ma Te Wan in the New Territories are published in the Gazette.

Dr G. H. Bateson Wright (Headmaster, Queen's College) and Mrs Wright are passengers by the *Empress of India* due here on Wednesday, the 30th inst.

A notification is published in the Gazette that no dogs brought from Shanghai will be allowed to land in the Colony for a period of six months from the 1st prox.

There were 371 European and 133 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, and 99 European and 1,541 Chinese visitors to the Museum during the week ended 27th Oct.

The Bill of Health for the past week shows a satisfactory state of affairs. There was nothing in the form of plague or communicable disease reported except the case of enteric imported on the transport *Tong Ku*.

We understand that Dr Rennie is expected back in Hongkong about February next. During his holiday, he has been combining business with pleasure, having studied for several months in the London hospitals.

Police Sergeant Williamson has just been promoted Inspector, and is to be congratulated on his advancement after many years good service to the Colony. For a long time "No. 69" has been in charge of the Police Armoury and Stores.

We understand that the wedding of Mr Cyril Pemberton to Miss Kate Hooper takes place in St. John's Cathedral at four o'clock to-morrow afternoon, the Rev. E. J. Hardy officiating. A reception will be held afterwards at St. Andrews, the residence of Mr and Mrs G. W. F. Playfair.

Mr C. S. Addis has been elected President of the Shanghai St. Andrew's Society for the current year and Mr J. H. McLaren Vice-President. The members of Committee are:—Messrs. Brodie, A. Clarke, C. Murray Adamson, S. M. McLeish, C. S. Addis, James Gow, John Prentice, G. J. Morrison, A. Wright, W. B. Buyers, G. S. Lindsay, Robert Inglis, R. D. Watt, and R. Sutherland.

There seems to be a good deal of friction over the registration of British subjects in Siam. We notice in Bangkok exchanges that the name of Mr Archibald Maclean has, at his own request, been erased from the list of British subjects registered at the British Consulate General. This is one of the consequences of the Agreement of 1900 between England and Siam relative to the registration of British subjects. By the same Agreement Mr. Maclean passes under Siam's jurisdiction.

A Curious Action.

The ownership of field-glasses, value \$100, presented by his fellow employees at Somerset House to Imperial Yeomanry Trooper T. G. Briggs, was decided at Lambeth County-court on the 26th September. Before leaving for South Africa, Briggs gave the glasses to Miss N. Gilpin, a Kentington young lady, to whom he was engaged. He said he would have no use for them at the front, as the Government supplied glasses. In January last Briggs died of enteric at Wybourn, and his brother, M. H. Briggs, as administrator, sued Miss Gilpin for the return of the glasses. Evidence was given to show that Briggs seemed always absolutely certain that he would return. Judge Enden said he thought there was an innocent mistake on the part of Miss Gilpin, and ordered the glasses to be given up. Judgment was given for her for £6 on a counterclaim for money lent.

An Execution in Manila.

Four Filipinos were executed by hanging in Fort Malate, Manila, on the 18th inst. There were about 100 spectators, admitted by card. The *Manila Times*, in a long description of the execution, reports:—After a delay that seemed as if it would never end, the men were pinioned and the nooses and black caps adjusted. Lieut. Mapes raised his hat, and a civilian assistant to the hangman sprung the trap. The drop was seven feet. For an instant not a tremor was seen in any of the bodies, but within two seconds after the drop, Villores and Rivailler began to struggle. The former's rattling ceased in two minutes, but the latter continued to tug and pull at the ropes that bound him for ten minutes. He was slowly strangulated to death. His death throes were not pleasant to look at, his long finger nails cutting deeply into the palms of his hands. Orsario and Raymundo died instantly. Their necks were broken. The trap was sprung at 7.23, and Dr Rofferty saluted Lieut. Mapes and reported the last man dead at 7.42.

A WORD TO TRAVELLERS.

CLOSE OF THE VOLUNTEER CAMP.

ANOTHER MASSACRE IN SAMAR.

Attacked by Bolemen.

The annual Volunteer Camp at Stonecutters came to an end to-day, and the unanimous verdict is that it has been one of the most successful ever enjoyed by the members of the Corps. A good two days of solid work has been put in, and, favoured with a period of delightfully cool weather, the men have undoubtedly benefited in more directions than the one for which the Camp is primarily held, and return to business in the City brighter and fresher in health and spirits.

On Saturday afternoon, all units paraded and crossed in launches to Lai-chi-kok, where the annual shooting over the sea range took place. The practice was first class. His Excellency Major-General Sir William Gaseulge, K.C.M.G., and the officers of his staff were present and took a lively interest in the proceedings. At night an impromptu concert took place, and was much enjoyed. Many civilians were present and had a good time.

On Sunday, after an early morning drill, Church services were well attended. H. E. Major-General Gaseulge was present. Rev. E. J. Hardy, C. of the Forces, was the preacher, and the service was much appreciated. The general inspection took place shortly after eleven o'clock. There was a good muster of the Corps, and when the examination of the men's accoutrements was over, the parade was formed into three sides of a square and addressed by Major-General Gaseulge.

His Excellency said he would make his remarks brief as he did not wish to keep the men long out in the heat and glare of the sun. He was highly pleased with the smart appearance of the Corps, which seemed every year to be growing better. This was a most gratifying sign, for whom His Excellency arrived in the Colony to take over the Command of the Troops, it was a very serious question with him whether to not to keep the Volunteer Corps in the defensive force of the Colony. However, by its zeal in the direction of becoming efficient the Corps had justified its right to be included in that force, and it gave him great pleasure to say so. The Corps, continued the Major-General, appeared now to be taking things with a greater amount of seriousness, and every fresh camp was better than the last. Referring to the manœuvres at Lai-chi-kok on Saturday, His Excellency spoke of the complimentary terms of the appearance made by the Corps on that occasion, and when he observed it as very business-like. The work done was good, and there was no talking or fussing; everyone appeared to know what was to be done, and did it. The promptitude with which firing was commenced when the order was given was also commendable. Dealing with the disbandment of 'B' Company, His Excellency said the step was rendered imperative by the fact that, should the necessity of calling up the Corps ever arise, the Company's services, from the fact that the members are employed in the Naval Yard, would not be available in the particular section allocated to it in the defence scheme that had been prepared. It was only after very serious consideration that it had been decided to ask these men to send in their resignations, but there was a probability of their services being not altogether dispensed with. One very satisfactory feature in connection with the disbandment of 'B' Company was the remonstrance that had come from its members, showing that they were really interested in regard to volunteering, and were supporting it fully. Whilst on the question of compensation, he would like to mention that Colonel Brown wanted more men in the Engineers. Three times the present number were required, and in the Colony there was sure to be, and just the kind of men needed. One point, however, would have to be observed: their disbandment and services must be under precisely the same conditions as those attaching to the other units, and they would also have to be available when the occasion arrived, if it ever did, for the particular section allocated to them in the defence scheme. His Excellency concluded by congratulating Major Bryant on the appearance and condition of the Corps.

The Corps were then put through a number of evolutions, a call they responded to in a highly satisfactory manner. Tent-inspection followed. His Excellency making the customary rounds and expressing his approval or disapproval wherever there was occasion. This over the men were free for the remainder of the day. Sports largely attended by civilians, were held in the afternoon. The Tag-of-war was an event which proved very exciting. 'D' Company emerged the winners. The Foot-ball match resulted in victory for the Field Battery. Lieutenants Armstrong and Lammet were in charge of the sports.

For Cheese Eaters.

Some researches dealing with the minute organisms found in cheese were recently made. From a microscopic examination of a soft variety of Gruyere cheese the following statistics were obtained:—In each gramme of cheese, when perfectly fresh, from 20,000 to 140,000 microbes were found; when the cheese was seventy days old the population had increased to 800,000 per gramme. An examination of a dense cheese at twenty-five days old proved it to contain 1,200,000 per gramme, and when forty-five days old 2,000,000 per gramme. It is affirmed that the population of an ordinary cheese when a few weeks old is greater than the number of people upon the earth.

Consumption.

Consumption is a disease dreadful in its effects. It is widely prevalent, its germs are everywhere, and only those persons in whose health are safe, comparatively, from its attack. If you have a hacking cough, weak lungs, impure blood, a weakened constitution, you are an easy prey to consumption. You should take steps at once to build up your health.

It is no longer necessary to punish yourself by gassing and roasting, trying to force down the old-time cod-liver oil or the Emulsion. That custom belongs to the days of the tailo-dip, stage-coach, and the use of opium for sweetening. Steamer Wine of Cod Liver Oil contains the medicinal essence of Cod Liver Oil in a heightened degree of activity, and will do all that Cod Liver Oil will do, and more too. This accounts for the curative effects of Steamer Wine of Cod Liver Oil in consumption, and all diseases where the system is weakened and emaciated. At Alleneast, and Wholesale from A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Hongkong.

player who was doing brilliant work, and Ainsley carefully noted it. Bevan performed that foolish trick of him running out to meet the man, and Ainsley took full advantage of the opportunity. The sailors and marines went dancing with joy, and spun their hats high in the air. There was only ten minutes more to play, and the Club tried hard to equalise, but their efforts were abortive, and they retired beaten after what was, taking it all round, a very good match. The game was remarkable for its cleanliness. The elements of roughness or foul play was entirely absent. The result is a fair indication of the respective merits of the two teams.

CRICKET.

MAJOR DOREHILL'S XI. MAJOR DYSON'S XI.

C. M. G. Burnie, c L. Dixon	21
M. J. Doctor, b Lee	18
Major Borsford, Ash, b Morrison	64
A. Mackenzie, c Maitland, b Dixon	6
Major Dorehill, R.A., b Dixon	6
Capt. Radcliffe, R.E., c Kriekenbeck, b Dixon	0
P. A. Cox, c Kriekenbeck, b Preedy	0
Capt. Clapham, R.A., c Dixon, b Smith	10
J. Hooper, b Dixon	10
H. Arthur, not out	33
M. Morrison, c Dixon, b Preedy	10
Extras	10
Total	177

MAJOR DYSON'S XI.

F. Maitland, b Doctor	45
Lieut.-Kriekenbeck, c Arthur, b Morrison	17
W. E. Dixon, c & b Morrison	12
Private Party, b Morrison	1
Lieut. Burke, 22nd B.I., b Morrison	1
Major Dyson, A.P.D., c Hooper, b Morrison	0
T. Sercombe Smith, c & b Morrison	0
Capt. Waymouth, R.A., c Doctor b Morrison	0
Lieut. Clifton Brownie, R.N., not out	5
A. R. Lowe, b Morrison	61
J. E. Lee, did not bat	0
Extras	8
Total (for 9 wickets)	164

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

MAJOR DOREHILL'S XI.

Sercombe Smith	0
Lee	17
Dixon	12
Waymouth	5
Preedy	5.2
Mackenzie	9
Doctor	17
Morrison	12.5
Cox	6
Dorehill	6
Burnie	2
Total	177

MAJOR DYSON'S XI.

R. E. C. G. CRAIGENGOVER, R.C.	0
A cricket match was played at the Happy Valley on Saturday last between a team of the Royal Engineers' Cricket Club and the Craigengower Cricket Club. The match resulted in a victory for the latter. The following are the scores:—	0
B.E. CRICKET CLUB.	0
Bridge, c Asger, b Lammet	1
Colley, c Asger, b Lammet	1
Sercoe, c Stuart, b Asger	1
Burgess, b Lammet	0
Jewbury, c Remedies, b Asger	0
Harold, b Asger	1
Barrett, c Remedies, b Asger	1
Hennings, b Lammet	0
Long, not out	0
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 9 |

M. E. Asger, b Harold
 9 |

J. P. Jordan, c Barrett, b Sercoe
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J. Pestowicz, c Barrett, b Hemming
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S. R. Currie, not out
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Total
 131 |

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DOES CHILDREN GOOD.

James J. Gorman, the well-known undertaker of the city, of the firm of Gorman & Sullivan, has used several bottles of Steamer Wine in his family, and willingly recommends it to anyone with growing up children.

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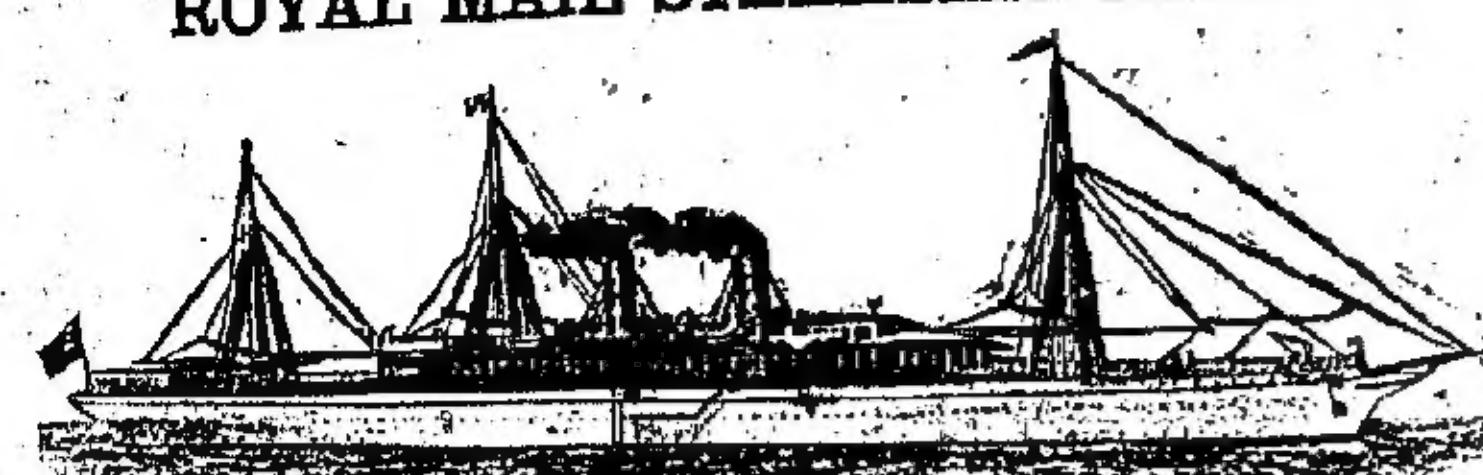
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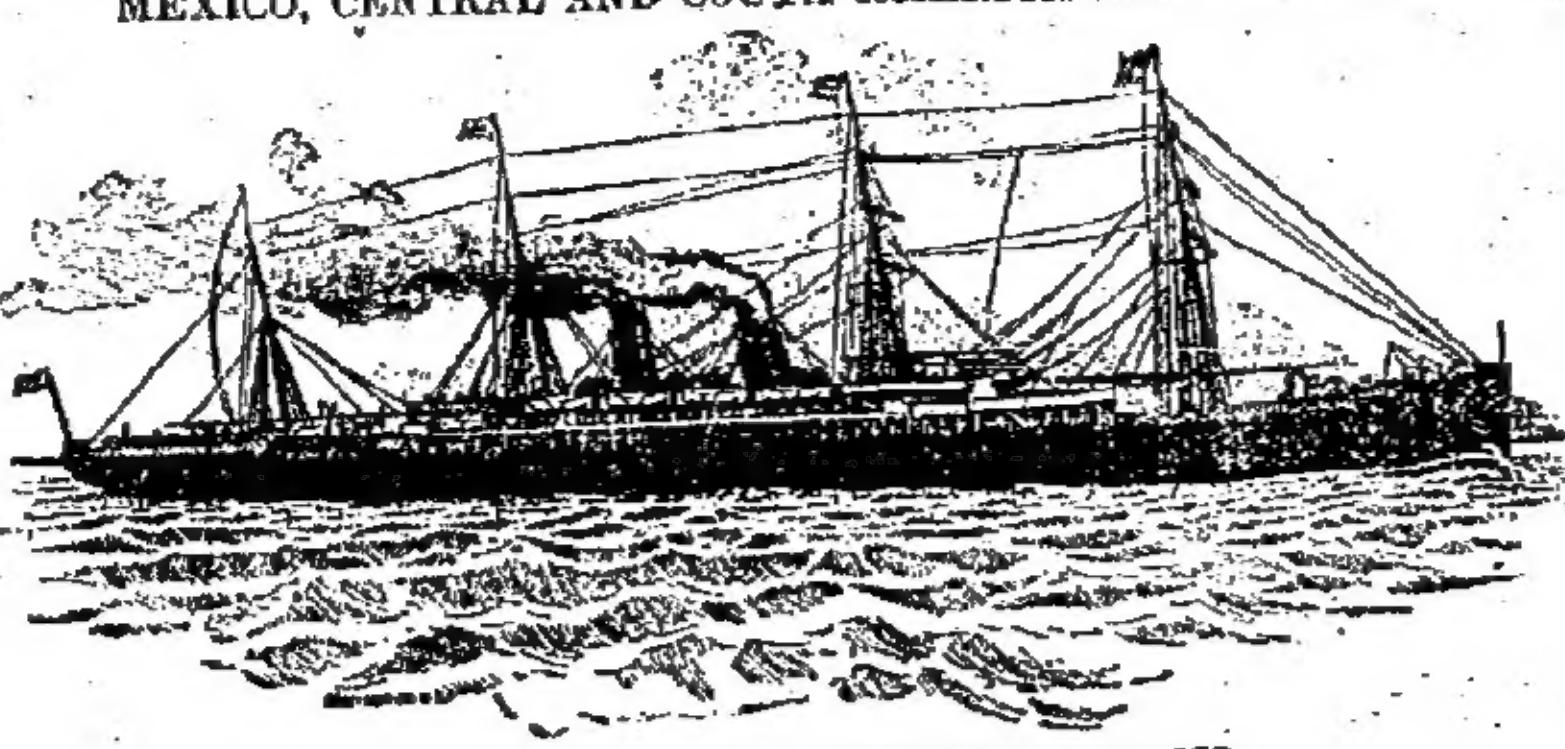
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